UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

NML CAPITAL, LTD.,

Plaintiff,

V.

CIVIL ACTION NO. H-08-mc-574

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EXCELERATE ENERGY, LLC,

Defendant.

<u>ORDER</u>

Before the Court is NML Capital's Motion to Compel. (Doc. No. 1.) After considering the parties' filings, all responses and replies thereto, and the applicable law, the Court finds that the Motion is **DENIED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**. The Court advises NML to seek discovery from YPF Respol directly. The Court acknowledges the lengthy amount of time this Motion was under advisement; however, it was difficult to consider fully the parties' positions without reviewing the disputed documents.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

SIGNED at Houston, Texas, on this the day of March, 2009.

KEITHP ELLISON

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

TO ENSURE PROPER NOTICE, EACH PARTY WHO RECEIVES THIS ORDER SHALL FORWARD A COPY OF IT TO EVERY OTHER PARTY AND AFFECTED NON-PARTY EVEN THOUGH THEY MAY HAVE BEEN SENT ONE BY THE COURT.